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**From:** Schmidt, Andrew  
**Sent:** Fri 8/7/2015 5:51:58 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Animas spill

Liz,

As per my voicemail, please see below...

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**Cc:** Coursen, Robin; Robert Kimbrough; David Mau; David Susong; Max Ethridge; Katie Walton-Day; Trude Ridley  
**Subject:** Animas spill

Hi Andrew and Paula,

I left a voice mail for Andrew and also wanted to contact Paula and Robin to let you know we are available to assist EPA in response to the mine-waste spill in the Animas River. The CO water science center, our water science centers in New Mexico and Utah, and the crustal imaging center are willing and able to assist.

For example, our Utah WSC already has August sampling plans for Lake Powell.

Please let us know how we can help. Would you be interested in participating in a call with center directors?

Thank you,

Suzanne

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